

INDIAN HERONRY INFORMATION SHEET

Please return this form to: Dr. S. Subramanya, HPHT Scheme, 'J' Block,
GKVK, University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore 560 065, India,
before the end of March.

STATE:

NAME OF THE SITE:

AREA:

DISTRICT:

TALUK / TEHSIL:

NEAREST TOWN / CITY:

NEAREST VILLAGE:

COORDINATES:

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BREEDING SEASON:

Do the birds still breed at the site? Yes ☐ . If No, when last seen

DESCRIPTION OF THE SITE: (habitat, tree species utilized, closeness to a large waterbody, type of waterbody etc.)

No. of birds in the colony:

(use reverse, if necessary)

A copy of map of the site with important geographical features (cities, roads, tanks, rivers, hills etc.) will be appreciated.

LIST OF SPECIES BREEDING:

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PELICANS

- ☐ Great White Pelican *Pelecanus onocrotalus*
- ☐ Spot-billed Pelican *P. philippensis*

CORMORANTS & DARTERS

- ☐ Great Cormorant *Phalacrocorax carbo*
- ☐ Indian Shag *P. fuscicollis*
- ☐ Little Cormorant *P. niger*
- ☐ Oriental Darter *Anhinga melanogaster*

HERONS & EGRETS

- ☐ Night Heron *Nycticorax nycticorax*
- ☐ Pond Heron *Ardeola grayii*
- ☐ Cattle Egret *Bubulcus ibis*
- ☐ Reef Egret *Egretta gularis*
- ☐ Little Egret *E. garzetta*
- ☐ Intermediate Egret *E. intermedia*
- ☐ Great Egret *E. alba*
- ☐ Purple Heron *Ardea purpurea*
- ☐ Grey Heron *A. cinerea*

STORKS

- ☐ Painted Stork *Mycteria leucocephala*
- ☐ Asian Openbill *Anastomus oscitans*
- ☐ Wolly-necked (White-necked) Stork *Ciconia episcopus*
- ☐ Lesser Adjutant *Leptoptilos javanicus*
- ☐ Greater Adjutant *L. dubius*

IBISES & SPOONBILLS

- ☐ Black-headed (White) Ibis *Threskiornis melanocephalus*
- ☐ Black Ibis *Pseudibis papillosa*
- ☐ White Spoonbill *Platalea leucorodia*

ADDITIONAL SPECIES

- ☐ _____
- ☐ _____
- ☐ _____
- ☐ _____

Please give the breeding seasons of individual species, if available.

CONTRIBUTOR'S name
and address:

Baillon's Crake *P. pusilla*
 Ruddy Crake *P. fusca*
 Brown Crake *Amauornis akool*
 White-breasted Waterhen *A. phoenicurus*
 Watercock *Gallicrex cinerea*
 Moorhen *Gallinula chloropus*
 Purple Swampphen *Porphyrio porphyrio*
 Common Coot *Fulica atra*

FINFOOT & JACANAS

Masked Finfoot *Heliopais personata*
 Pheasant-tailed Jacana *Hydrophasianus chirurgus*
 Bronze-winged Jacana *Metopidius indicus*

SHOREBIRDS – WADERS

Painted Snipe *Rostratula benghalensis*
 Crab Plover *Dromas ardeola*
 Oystercatcher *Haematopus ostralegus*
 Ibisbill *Ibidorhyncha struthersii*
 Black-winged Stilt *Himantopus himantopus*
 Avocet *Recurvirostra avosetta*
 Great Stone Plover *Esacus recurvirostris*
 Oriental Pratincole *Glareola maldivarum*
 Little Pratincole *G. lactea*
 Northern Lapwing *Vanellus vanellus*
 River Lapwing *V. duvaucelii*
 Yellow-wattled Lapwing *V. malabaricus*
 Sociable Plover *V. gregarius*
 White-tailed Plover *V. leucurus*
 Grey-headed Lapwing *V. cinereus*
 Red-wattled Lapwing *V. indicus*
 Asiatic (Pacific) Golden Plover *Pluvialis (dominica) fulva*
 Grey Plover *P. squatarola*
 Long-billed Plover *Charadrius placidus*
 Little Ringed Plover *C. dubius*
 Kentish Plover *C. alexandrinus*
 Mongolian Plover *C. mongolus*
 Greater Sand Plover *C. leschenaultii*
 Black-tailed Godwit *Limosa limosa*
 Bar-tailed Godwit *L. lapponica*
 Whimbrel *Numenius phaeopus*
 Eurasian Curlew *N. arquata*
 Spotted Redshank *Tringa erythropus*
 Redshank *T. totanus*
 Marsh Sandpiper *T. stagnatilis*
 Greenshank *T. nebularia*
 Nordmann's Greenshank *T. guttifer*
 Green Sandpiper *T. ochropus*
 Wood Sandpiper *T. glareola*
 Terek Sandpiper *Xenus cinereus*
 Common Sandpiper *Actitis hypoleucos*
 Ruddy Turnstone *Arenaria interpres*
 Red-necked Phalarope *Phalaropus lobatus*
 Eurasian Woodcock *Scolopax rusticola*
 Solitary Snipe *Gallinago solitaria*

Pintail Snipe *G. stenura*
 Swinhoe's Snipe *G. megala*
 Common Snipe *G. gallinago*
 Jack Snipe *Lymnocyrtus minimus*
 Asiatic Dowitcher *Limnodromus semipalmatus*
 Great Knot *Calidris tenuirostris*
 Sanderling *C. alba*
 Little Stint *C. minuta*
 Temminck's Stint *C. temminckii*
 Long-toed Stint *C. subminuta*
 Dunlin *C. alpina*
 Curlew Sandpiper *C. ferruginea*
 Spoon-billed Sandpiper *Eurynorhynchus pygmeus*
 Broad-billed Sandpiper *Limicola falcinellus*
 Ruff *Philomachus pugnax*
 Unidentified shorebirds

GULLS, TERNS & SKIMMERS

Sooty Gull *Larus hemprichii*
 Herring Gull *L. argentatus*
 Lesser Black-backed Gull *L. fuscus*
 Great Black-headed Gull *L. ichthyaeus*
 Brown-headed Gull *L. brunnicephalus*
 Black-headed Gull *L. ridibundus*
 Slender-billed Gull *L. genei*
 Unidentified gulls
 Whiskered Tern *Chlidonias hybrida*
 White-winged Black Tern *C. leucoptera*
 Gull-billed Tern *Gelochelidon nilotica*
 Caspian Tern *Hydroprogne caspia*
 Indian River Tern *Sterna aurantia*
 Common Tern *S. hirundo*
 Black-bellied Tern *S. melanogaster*
 Little Tern *S. albigrons*
 Saunders' Little Tern *S. saundersii*
 Great Crested Tern *S. bergii*
 Lesser Crested Tern *S. bengalensis*
 Sandwich Tern *S. sandvicensis*
 Unidentified terns
 Indian Skimmer *Rynchops albicollis*

ADDITIONAL SPECIES

USEFUL SITE INFORMATION: (please circle the relevant figures)

CONDITION OF WETLAND: 1 Wet (water present), 2 Totally dry, 3 Totally frozen

PROTECTION: 1 By Government, 2 By Tradition, 3 Private ownership, 4 Unprotected, 0 Unknown

THREATS AND USES: 0 Unknown, 1 None, 2 Sedimentation, 3 Excessive overgrowth of vegetation, 4 Cutting/clearance of vegetation, 5 Eutrophication, 6 Agriculture along drying margins, 7 Excessive cattle grazing, Pollution by: 8 domestic sewage, 9 solid waste, A industrial waste, B oil, C pesticides, D fertilizers, E Mining, F Hunting/trapping/poaching of birds, G Little fishing, H Large scale fishing, I Partial reclamation, J Complete reclamation, K Dam/barrage construction, L Tourism/recreation.

BIRDS OF PREY OBSERVATION FORM

Name of the Reporter

Address

Species

Date(s) of Visit

Location

- a) Site (Name, co-ordinates or distance and direction from the nearest town.
If a protected area, protection status).

b) District

c) State

Numbers seen

Time of the Day

Activity

- 1) Flying
- 2) Sitting
- 3) Hunting

Approximate height
Description of perch
Prey species

Plumage description

Feature used for identification

How would you describe the STATUS of species in the area

- a) Common, seen regularly or in over 50% of visits
- b) Uncommon, seen infrequently or in 10-50% of visits
- c) Rare, seen only once or twice or in less than 10% of visits

Nesting (1) Yes (2) No (3) Likely (4) Unlikely

Nesting site (1) on a tree
 (2) on a rock or a cliff
 (3) on ground

Description of Nest

Stage of Nest (1) in building stage
 (2) with eggs
 (3) with nestlings in downs
 (4) with grown up nesting or fledglings

Outcome of Nesting (1) Nesting failed
 (i) at nest building stage
 (ii) at egg stage
 (iii) at nestling stage

 (2) Nesting successful

Comments and remarks

Please send the filled-in forms to Dr. Vibhu Prakash, Bombay Natural History Society, Shahid Bhagat Singh Road, Bombay 400 023. Photocopy the forms, if more copies are needed.



Please return this form to your National Coordinator or AWR, Institute of Advanced Studies, University of Malaya, 59100 Kuala Lumpur, MALAYSIA before the end of March.

DATE:

COUNTRY:

NAME OF SITE:

ALTITUDE:

m above sea level

PROVINCE/STATE/PREFECTURE:

NEAREST LARGE TOWN/CITY:

please give approx. distance, direction

AREA:

ha/km²

COORDINATES:

deg

min

N

deg

min

E

SITE CODE:

(For office use only)

WETLAND TYPE: (please circle the relevant figures)

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| 0 Open seas, bays, straits | 6 Reservoirs, barrages, tanks |
| 1 Estuaries, tidal mudflats, salt marshes | 7 Gravel pits, mineral workings, mining pools |
| 2 Brackish or saline lakes, lagoons, salt pans | 8 Fish ponds, shrimp ponds |
| 3 Rivers, streams, canals, drains | 9 Grassland, arable land |
| 4 Freshwater marshes, flooded areas | 10 Mangrove, nipah |
| 5 Freshwater lakes, ponds | 11 Freshwater swamp forest, peat swamp forest |

If any other type please specify:

DESCRIPTION OF SITE: (please circle the relevant figures)

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| a. Months of maximum flooding: | b. Annual rainfall: | mm |
| c. Source: 1 local rains 2 river/stream 3 sea 4 other 0 unknown | | |
| d. Maximum depth of water in metres: | e. Tidal variation: | 1 present 2 absent 0 unknown |
| f. Salinity: 1 freshwater 2 brackish 3 saline 4 unknown | | |
| g. Is the site: 1 permanent 2 temporary 3 semi-permanent 0 unknown | | |
| h. Vegetation cover: 1 none 2 half area 3 complete 4 recently cleared 0 unknown | | |
| i. Vegetation type: 1 growing on bank 2 submerged in water 3 Free floating 4 floating-leaved rooted 5 emergent 0 unknown | | |
| j. Protection status: 1 By Government 2 by tradition 3 private ownership 4 unprotected 0 unknown | | |
| k. Fishing: 1 None 2 little 3 moderate 4 large-scale 0 unknown | | |
| l. Hunting/trapping/poaching of birds: 1 None 2 little 3 moderate 4 large-scale 0 unknown | | |
| m. Agriculture: 1 None 2 little 3 moderate 4 large-scale 0 unrecorded | | |
| n. Cattle grazing: 1 None 2 little 3 moderate 4 large-scale 0 unrecorded | | |
| o. Are there signs of pollution? If so with what (e.g. foam, coloured water, solid waste)? | | |

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

Outline map of wetland count unit (limit of the area covered by the count) with important geographical features (cities, roads, rivers, hills) included. Reverse of sheet may be used if necessary. A copy of a map if available.

PARTICIPANT(S) name(s)
and address(es):

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